

May 14, 1785.

RAN away from the subscriber, living in St. Mary's county, near the Queen-tree, a negro man slave named BILLY, about five feet ten inches high, a luty well made fellow, when he walks his right knee bends pretty much towards his left, and his wool grows very low down on his temples; about twenty three years of age; had on when he went away, a striped country cloth jacket and breeches, but as he has been absent from August last, probably he may have got other cloaths; he has frequented the head of Clement's bay, in St. Mary's county, and was seen last fall in Calvert county, in the neighbourhood of Leonard's creek, he has acquaintances all along up Patuxent river, and a father living at captain William Bowie's, in Prince-George's county, where he has been heard to say he would go; he has a mother living in Alexandria, in Virginia, with a Mr. Willox, who formerly kept tavern in Piscataway, where he may possibly endeavour to harbour. Whoever will secure the said fellow, in any gaol in this state, so that I get him again, shall receive a reward of eight dollars, and if out of the state five pounds, including what the law allows, and reasonable charges if brought home, paid by

1007/6 JOHN HORRELL.